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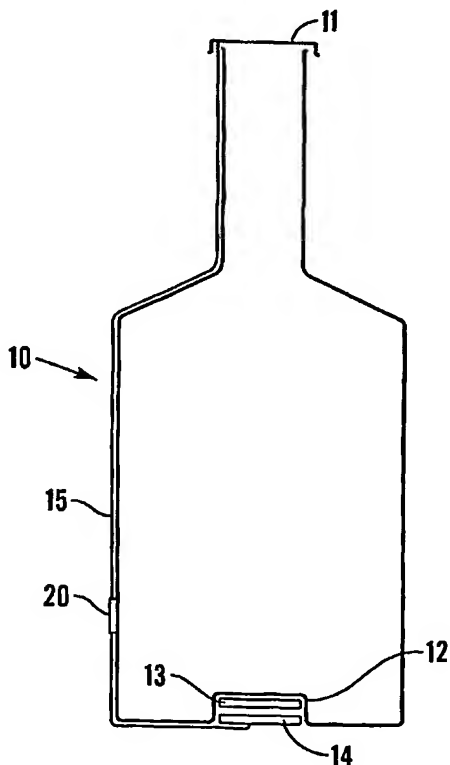
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(57) Abstract: A container (10), for example a drinks bottle, com-
prises means of producing an output such as a light signal (13) when
the container is opened. Opening the container (10) causes switching
of a detector circuit (20) included in the container (10), which in turn
causes production of the output signal. Removing a cap (11) of the
container (10) may directly close or open a switch (21, 22) within a
detector circuit (20). Alternatively the switch (21, 22) may be acti-
vated by a change in pressure within the container, or by temperature.
The output signal may cause illumination of the contents of the con-
tainer (10) by an LED (13), or of a label (125) on the container (10),
which may be constructed by an electroluminescent device (127) com-
prising a thin sheet of electroluminescent material.

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